

Helmets, Good Idea vs. Bad Idea

There has been much controversy over the past few years on the wearing of ski & snowboard helmets. Are they worth the cost, appearance and some say inconvenience to obtain the protection that they provide? I cannot answer that question for you or your child, but I will give you my opinion.

Eight years ago, Ski Tunes Ski & Board Shop, made a deal with a well-known helmet manufacturer allowing us to offer a special discount to all club members. Since 2004 until 2010, The Hempfield School Ski/Snowboard Club has had no head injuries, which we believe is due to the increase in helmets worn by our club members. Many of the local school clubs require all participants to wear helmets. For more information on helmet use check out www.lidsonkids.org.

Ski Tunes is offering a helmet to all club members and their immediate family for less than half the retail price. A helmet which normally retails for \$79 will be offered to club members for \$39.00. This is \$11 less than Ski Roundtop's helmets, plus we will fit you professionally and Ski Tunes is much closer than Roundtop. We also have the popular brands Gyro, Head, LDM and Five-forty available at unbeatable prices. All helmets that we sell are certified by the ski & snowboard industry. Stop by Ski Tunes Ski & Board Shop starting October 20th for a professional fit. This Special Offer will only last as long as these helmets are available or until Nov. 10, 2012. If you decide to visit Ski Tunes, remind us that you are a member of the Hempfield Rec Ski & Snowboard Club when placing your order. Club members will also receive a 10% discount when purchasing NEW equipment & service and a 5% discount on sale items.

Ski Tunes Ski & Board Shop hours starting October 1st:

Monday & Wednesday 5PM to 9PM and Saturday 10AM to 3PM

Fall hours starting October 20th M-W-F, 6PM to 9PM and Sat. 10AM to 4PM

Telephone Number 684-6949

Opening Sale starts October 20th until October 29th--10 days only!

Ski Tunes 5th Annual Ski/Snowboard Swap will be held on October 20th & 21st. This swap is in conjunction with the **Lancaster Ski Club** and some of the proceeds will be donated to the Columbia Lions & Sunsnappers Christmas Dinner Baskets.

Check out our website for more details at www.skitunespa.com

Please note that Roundtop Mt. Resort is also selling helmets, limited to one style, to club members for \$50. Hempfield Rec Center will **not** be involved with those orders. We see an administration and fitting problem with this ordering procedure. Contact Roundtop Mt. Resort directly if you are interested in buying their helmet.

Grant Schultz,
Ski Tunes